UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

In Re: BP P.L.C., SECURITIES LITIGATION

Case Number 10-md-2185

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<u>ORDER</u>

Pending before the Court is the Ludlow Plaintiffs' Objections and Motion to Strike New York and Ohio's Sur-Reply Filed in Support of Motion for Lead Plaintiff (Doc. No. 63).

Having considered the motion, the Court hereby **DENIES** the Motion to Strike New York and Ohio's Sur-reply. The Court **GRANTS** the Ludlow Plaintiffs' alternative request for leave to file a sur-reply. Such filing shall be made no later than Wednesday, December 1, 2010.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

SIGNED this 23rd day of November, 2010.

KEITH P. ELLISON

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE